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YOUR DOLLAR



## Refrigerant

Air conditioning, when operated effectively, can provide comfort to you and your passengers on a hot summer day. Using your air conditioner isn't only a matter of comfort; but it can become a health hazard if you drive with a non-working system in dry, hot weather conditions. For this reason, make sure your system operates correctly and efficiently. For maximum protection, most oil companies suggest changing the oil every 3,000 miles or three to six months regardless of what type of driving you do.

Refrigerant is a liquid capable of vaporizing at a low temperature. It is the life blood of your air conditioning system. Two types of refrigerant are used in automotive A/C systems: R-12, also known as Freon, and R134a. Prior to 1995, R-12 refrigerant was the primary type of refrigerant used in cars. However, this type of refrigerant was found to be harmful to the Earth's ozone layer. As a result, all vehicles built after 1996 now use R-134a, a more environmentally friendly refrigerant.

If your system isn't producing very much cool air, it may need to be recharged with refrigerant. Federal law prohibits the sale of R-12 and R-134a automotive refrigerants to "noncertified" individuals. The law was passed in November 1992 to

discourage people from overcharging leaky A/C systems, which can damage other components.

To ensure that your air conditioning system doesn't have a major refrigerant leak, and to have it properly recharged, visit us at the **Discount Service Center!**

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